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**MARY ELLEN FORHAN**—1943 introduction. Rich crimson S.C., with lighter reverse petals. Blooms 12 by 8 inches on long strong stems. Bush 5 feet. Foliage dark green. Fine keeping qualities and a big one to win with. Honor Roll and 3 Achievement Medals. Never been beaten.

Roots .....\$10.00

Plants .....\$3.50 net

**GOLD STAR**—1943 introduction. Anemone-Orchid. 3½ inch star like blooms of golden yellow with golden orange reverse petals, cushion center is gold. Very striking novelty on long stems.....\$1.00 net

## CLASSIFICATIONS

Cactus (C) Semi-Cactus (SC) Formal Decorative (FD)  
Informal Decorative (ID)

<b>ALICE McLEAN</b> —(SC)—Dark velvety red with silver maroon reverse. High tight center, beautiful formation, good stem.	\$2.50
<b>AIR MAIL</b> —(ID)—Rosy lavender. Good cut flower.	50c
<b>APPLE BLOSSOM</b> —(ID)—Pink. Cut flower.	50c
<b>AZURA</b> —(ID)—12-inch blooms of rose lilac.	50c
<b>AMERICAN PURITY</b> —(SC)—Large white.	50c
<b>ALL AMERICAN</b> —(SC)—Very large mulberry rose, suffused salmon.	\$4.00
<b>BEAUTE</b> —(C)—Crystal yellow. One of the best.	75c
<b>BELIEVE-IT-OR-NOT</b> —(FD)—Dark red and white bicolor.	50c
<b>BLUE RIVER</b> —(FD)—Large French violet.	50c
<b>BALLEGO'S SURPRISE</b> —(SC)—Pure white.	50c
<b>CONVENTION CITY</b> —(ID)—Big deep blooms of autumn shades.	\$1.00
<b>CHAS. L. MASTICK</b> —(ID)—Golden orange. Fine cut flower.	50c
<b>CYRIL VERSHAVE</b> —(SC)—Crimson.	50c
<b>CORAL LADY</b> —(C)—Fine petaled incurved cactus of clear coral.	\$1.00
<b>CHEROKEE BRAVE</b> —(ID)—Deep red, large size and good stem.	\$1.00
<b>CLASS</b> —(FD)—Very large, deep flower of clear light yellow.	\$2.50
<b>CLARA CLEMMONS</b> —(Ball)—Red, tipped white. Popular.	50c
<b>DARCY SAINSBURY</b> —(FD)—One of the finest large whites.	75c
<b>DORIS ARLEEN</b> —(ID)—Deep pink. Large and good stem. Early bloomer.	\$1.00
<b>DEUIL de ROI ALBERT</b> —(ID)—Bi-color, maroon tipped white. Popular.	50c
<b>DAILY MAIL</b> —(ID)—Huge golden orange.	50c
<b>ELINORE FISH</b> —(FD)—Good cut flower of rich red.	50c
<b>EMMA WALKER</b> —(SC)—Yellow, heavily shaded old rose. Big flowers and something different in color.	75c
<b>EVELYN CHANDLER</b> —(SC)—Huge flowers of golden apricot. Lovely.	\$1.50
<b>FRECKLES</b> —(ID)—Yellow, flecked red. Very large.	75c
<b>FREDA GEORGE</b> —(ID)—Beautiful pastel shades of cream overlaid with lavender and gold. A great favorite.	75c
<b>FIGARO</b> —(SC)—Large yellow Satan, striped with red.	\$1.00
<b>FOREST FIRE</b> —(ID)—Yellow heavily tipped scarlet.	50c
<b>FRANZ BERGER</b> —(SC)—Bright coral red.	50c
<b>GRAND SLAM</b> —(SC)—Bright rose pink, yellow at center.	75c
<b>GLAMOUR</b> —(ID)—Immense purple, petals edged pink.	\$1.00
<b>GOLDEN BOY</b> —(ID)—Pure golden yellow. Very large.	75c
<b>GRETEL</b> —(SC)—Cut flower of bright henna.	50c
<b>GREATER GLORY</b> —(SC)—Very large rose pink. Wonderful dahlia.	75c
<b>GREY DAWN</b> —(FD)—White, flushed orchid.	50c
<b>GOLDEN SPIKE</b> —(SC)—Rich gold.	\$1.00

<b>HARRY J. CROSLEY</b> —(SC)—1942 Honor Roll and Achievement Medal dahlia. 9 inch blooms of warm apricot with soft yellow at the center. One of the best keeping dahlias, when cut, that we grow.	\$5.00
<b>HILLSIDE GOLD</b> —(SC)—Old gold. Very good medium sized flower.	75c
<b>HULIN'S MELODY</b> —(SC)—1942 Honor Roll. Lovely wavy petals of a blend of golden yellow and rose lavender. 10 inch blooms on excellent stem.	\$4.00
<b>INCANDESCENT</b> —(ID)—Rich rosy buff.	50c
<b>JULIA MACK</b> —(FD)—Mandarin red, tipped gold. Very large, full flower.	75c
<b>JERSEY'S DAINTY</b> —(C)—Fine white	50c
<b>KILGORE'S KING</b> —(ID)—Flesh pink, golden center. Very beautiful.	\$1.00
<b>KENTUCKY SPORTSMAN</b> —(ID)—Yellow buff, tipped white.	50c
<b>LORD OF AUTUMN</b> —(ID)—One of the largest yellows, and hard to beat.	75c
<b>LINK'S GORGEOUS</b> —(ID)—Beautiful blend of light yellow to scarlet pink at edge of petals. Large blooms and strong stem.	\$3.00
<b>MARTHA CHURCHILL</b> —(C)—Incurved cactus of salmon rose shading to peach at center. Lovely formation, excellent stem and prolific bloomer.	\$4.00
<b>MOONRAYS</b> —(SC)—Cream, with faint penciling of rose. Very large.	\$2.50
<b>MONARCH OF THE EAST</b> —(FD)—Huge flowers of old gold.	50c
<b>MISS PARKERSBURG</b> —(ID)—Deep buff to carrot red.	50c
<b>MRS. GEO. PEZANT</b> —(C)—Dark red.	50c
<b>MOTHER O' MINE</b> —(ID)—Very large rose pink on strong stem. Good.	\$5.00
<b>MRS. C. D. ANDERSON</b> —(Ball)—Crimson.	50c
<b>NAGEL'S ORANGE</b> —(SC)—Very fine orange. Long stem.	75c
<b>NANCY ROBINSON</b> —(ID)—Fine pink cut flower.	50c
<b>ORIENTAL BEAUTY</b> —(C)—Rose pink.	50c
<b>PAULHAMUS</b> —(ID)—Scarlet blended with soft gold. A giant, on strong stem.	50c
<b>PINK DAILY MAIL</b> —(ID)—Large mauve pink.	50c
<b>PLUIE D'OR</b> —(C)—Huge gold. Fine petaled, long strong stem.	75c
<b>PROGRESS</b> —(ID)—Large flower of rosy mauve.	\$2.00
<b>PHYLLIS KNIGHT</b> —(FD)—Salmon rose, overlaid pink. Giant size.	50c
<b>ROYAL ELK</b> —(FD)—Dark rosy lavender. Big blooms on cane-like stem.	\$2.50
<b>ROYAL PENNANT</b> —(ID)—10 inch blooms of royal purple held high on stiff stems. The best in that color.	50c
<b>RED PILOT</b> —(ID)—Brilliant carmine. Big deep shining flowers.	75c
<b>RITA WELLS</b> —(ID)—Grenadine pink on buff gold. Beautiful flower and huge size. Strong stem.	\$1.50
<b>SATAN</b> —(SC)—Flame red.	50c
<b>SALBACH'S WHITE</b> —(FD)—Pure white, cut flower	50c
<b>SCHENTENCHI</b> —(C)—Rich maroon. Fine petaled and good stem.	50c
<b>SNOW QUEEN</b> —(Ball)—Pure white.	50c

<b>SANHICAN'S CAMEO—(FD)—</b> Cameo pink. ....	50c
<b>SILVA QUATA—(Ball)—</b> Silvery orchid. ....	50c
<b>TOWN TOPIC—(FD)—</b> Large full flowers of purple, tipped white. Sometimes comes all purple. Either way, it's a winner. ....	\$1.00
<b>TWIN TOWN—(ID)—</b> 12 to 14 inch flowers of light buff with salmon pink undertone. Petals broad and wavy. Stem strong. ....	\$1.50
<b>THE FIREMAN—(ID)—</b> Bright red. ....	50c
<b>TRENTONIAN—(FD)—</b> The brown dahlia. Fine cut flower. ....	50c
<b>VICTORY—(FD)—</b> Rose pink suffused gold. ....	\$1.50
<b>VIRGINIA RUTE—(SC)—</b> 12 inch blooms of ox-blood red. ....	\$1.00
<b>VAN'S YELLOW—(SC)—</b> 1942 Honor Roll and Achievement Medal dahlia. 12 inch clear crystal yellow blooms on long strong stems. A beauty. ....	\$5.00
<b>VELVET KING—(ID)—</b> 1942 Honor Roll dahlia. Dark velvety cardinal red. 10 inch blooms, strong stem. Very fine. ....	\$5.00
<b>WENOKA—(FD)—</b> Rosy magenta. ....	50c
<b>WHITE ABUNDANCE—(ID)—</b> Waxy white. Fine cut flower. ....	50c

## MINIATURE DAHLIAS

Types like the larger varieties. Small blooms, not over 3½ inches across. Plants are most of them 2½ to 3 feet tall, except those described as tall. All are profuse blooming and wonderful for cut flowers, especially fine for table decorations. All have splendid stems.

<b>ALPHA—(Anemone-Orchid)—</b> Mahogany red. ....	50c
<b>BISHOP OF LLANDDAFF—(Duplex)—</b> Deep red, dark eye, black foliage. ....	50c
<b>BABY GRAND—(SC)—</b> Mauve pink and white. Prolific bloomer. ....	50c
<b>BABY ROYAL—(SC)—</b> Salmon pink and gold. ....	50c
<b>BO-PEEP—(FD)—</b> Deep purple. ....	50c
<b>CLIO—(SC)—</b> Pink and cream. ....	50c
<b>CHELSEA—(Peony)—</b> Shell pink and yellow. ....	50c
<b>CORONNE—(FD)—</b> Pure waxy white. ....	50c
<b>CHANCELLOR—(Single)—</b> Rose shading to terra-cotta. Popular. ....	50c
<b>CROIX DU SUD—(Anemone)—</b> Five inch blooms of red with yellow cushion. ....	75c
<b>DAD'S OWN—(ID)—</b> Light rose pink. ....	50c
<b>DAHLIADELL TWINKLE—(Orchid flowering)—</b> White, rose mottled reverse. ....	50c
<b>DAWN—(Duplex)—</b> Burnt orange. ....	50c
<b>DOREEN CRANE—(SC)—</b> Dark buff with gold sheen. Prolific bloomer. ....	50c
<b>ELIZABETH PAPE—(SC)—</b> Salmon pink, tipped white. ....	50c
<b>ETOILE D'OR—(SC)—</b> Golden yellow. ....	50c
<b>EVELYN—(Single)—</b> White flushed lavender. ....	35c
<b>ETOILE DE FOCH—(Orchid flowering)—</b> Yellow, reverse carmine. ....	50c
<b>ETOILE DE CASTELMAN—(Orchid flowering)—</b> Chestnut red, reverse gold. ....	50c
<b>FONDA—(FD)—</b> Blend of orchid, old rose and gold. New and different. ....	50c
<b>FREDA—(FD)—</b> Very dark red. ....	50c

<b>FOXHOUND—(Peony)—</b>	<b>Cream and orange scarlet.</b>	<b>50c</b>
<b>FAIRY—(FD)—</b>	<b>Pink.</b>	<b>50c</b>
<b>GLORIOUS—(ID)—</b>	<b>Raspberry red.</b>	<b>50c</b>
<b>GRANITE FALLS—(Collarette)—</b>	<b>Red, yellow collar.</b>	<b>35c</b>
<b>HALLEY—(ID)—</b>	<b>Deep red.</b>	<b>50c</b>
<b>HELLY BODEWIYN—(FD)—</b>	<b>Fine white.</b>	<b>50c</b>
<b>JYP—(Collarette)—</b>	<b>Pure yellow, yellow collar.</b>	<b>50c</b>
<b>KEWPIE—(SC)—</b>	<b>Small bright pink.</b>	<b>50c</b>
<b>JOSEPHINE—(Single)—</b>	<b>Shell pink</b>	<b>35c</b>
<b>LAGOLANDRINA—(Collarette)—</b>	<b>Pink. Long stem.</b>	<b>50c</b>
<b>LEIDEN'S MINIATURE—(C)—</b>	<b>Salmon pink.</b>	<b>50c</b>
<b>LITTLE SNOW QUEEN—(C)—</b>	<b>White.</b>	<b>50c</b>
<b>LITTLE JEWEL—(FD)—</b>	<b>Small apple blossom pink.</b>	<b>50c</b>
<b>LITTLE DIAMOND—(C)—</b>	<b>Violet rose. Fine.</b>	<b>50c</b>
<b>LITTLE PURITY—(FD)—</b>	<b>Very small white.</b>	<b>50c</b>
<b>LITTLE PEARL—(SC)—</b>	<b>Lovely rose pink.</b>	<b>50c</b>
<b>MRS. FIRST JOHNSON—(FD)—</b>	<b>Clear dark red.</b>	<b>50c</b>
<b>MRS. G. O'NEIL—(SC)—</b>	<b>Pink, white tipped.</b>	<b>50c</b>
<b>MARKET JEWEL—(SC)—</b>	<b>Rich red., Fine cut flower.</b>	<b>50c</b>
<b>ORIENTAL GEM—(SC)—</b>	<b>Bright rose pink.</b>	<b>50c</b>
<b>ONAH—(ID)—</b>	<b>Golden orange.</b>	<b>50c</b>
<b>OUR ANNIE—(Peony)—</b>	<b>Soft pink, gold at center.</b>	<b>50c</b>
<b>ORANGEADE—(Peony)—</b>	<b>Orange buff.</b>	<b>50c</b>
<b>PERSIMMON—(FD)—</b>	<b>Persimmon orange.</b>	<b>50c</b>
<b>PEGGY WOOD—(FD)—</b>	<b>Bi-color. Burnt orange, tipped white.</b>	<b>50c</b>
<b>RENEE—(C)—</b>	<b>Pale amber to light yellow. Fine.</b>	<b>50c</b>
<b>RITA MARIE—(FD)—</b>	<b>Bronze shades. Fine cut flower.</b>	<b>50c</b>
<b>RED HEAD—(FD)—</b>	<b>Orange scarlet.</b>	<b>50c</b>
<b>SCHWIETERSBABY—(Single)—</b>	<b>1 inch flowers of begonia pink.</b>	<b>35c</b>
<b>SWALLOW—(Collarette)—</b>	<b>White, white collar.</b>	<b>35c</b>
<b>TAPO—(Single)—</b>	<b>Bright orange, yellow zone at center.</b>	<b>35c</b>
<b>TEENY WEENY—(Pom-Anemone)—</b>	<b>Bright salmon. Smallest dahlia.</b>	<b>50c</b>
<b>TOOTS—(FD)—</b>	<b>Small bright lavender.</b>	<b>50c</b>
<b>UNION JACK—(Single)—</b>	<b>Red and white striped.</b>	<b>35c</b>
<b>VARITY WADSWORTH—(FD)—</b>	<b>Bright yellow.</b>	<b>50c</b>
<b>WILEY DEN OUDEN—(FD)—</b>	<b>Yellow, heavily tipped red.</b>	<b>50c</b>

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Your selection of any five 50 cent miniatures for \$2.00  
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## POMPON DAHLIAS

Type the same as ball dahlias, except the size should not be more than 2 inches across, and most of these we list are the best exhibition size. 1 to 1½ inches. All have strong stems and are splendid keeping cut flowers. Plants average 2½ to 3 feet tall.

**ANNA VON SCHWERIN—**Light pink, white at center. 50c  
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**AIMEE—**Tiny bronze.  
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**CHICKIE—**Rose, gold at petal base.  
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**DONALD GORDON—**Brilliant red.  
**DORIA—**Maroon. One of the best.  
**GERTRUDE—**Crimson.  
**GLOW—**Old rose.  
**GOLDIE B.—**Small old gold.

**HAZEL DELL**—Pink, cerise edge.  
**JESSICA**—Yellow, heavily tipped rose.  
**JOE FETTI**—White.  
**LEMON DROP**—Yellow.  
**LITTLE DAVID**—Orange red.  
**LITTLE DORRIT**—Deep purple.  
**LITTLE JIM**—Dark wine red.  
**MINNIE MELLS**—Orchid rose, fine.  
**MIKE**—Orange scarlet.  
**NELLIE FRASER**—Light pink, edged deeper pink.  
**PEGGY ANN**—Yellow shaded brownish red.  
**PATRICIA—K.**—White, flushed orchid pink. Good.  
**PIXY**—Deep yellow, tipped Indian red.  
**ROSELIE**—Cream.  
**ROSE GRAY**—Silvery lavender.  
**SUMEYA**—Rosy magenta.  
**SHERRY**—Purple.  
**TAAKA'S PURPLE**—Carmine purple.  
**TAAKA'S YELLOW**—Deep yellow.  
**TOM THUMB**—Smallest bright red.  
**YELLOW GEM**—Good yellow.

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We wish to thank our friends for their patronage in the past and hope to hear from them again this year. In this our modest catalog, you will find listed only the dahlias we have grown in our own gardens, and found good.. We wish you the best of everything this year and much pleasure in your garden with FINE DAHLIAS.

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